

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the Application of: ) Examiner: Peterson, Kenneth E.  
Franz Fischer )  
For: RAZOR AND METHOD FOR ) Group Art Unit: 3724  
PRODUCING A RAZOR )  
Serial No.: 10/807,281 ) Conf. No.: 3945  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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## Remarks

The present Remarks are in Response to the Non-final Office Action mailed on November 14, 2008. The outstanding Office Action has a 3-month Shortened Statutory Period for filing a response that ends on February 14, 2009. The Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the following amendments and remarks.

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**Remarks begin on page 4 of the present response**